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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of:

H. TAKATSUJI et al.

Art Unit: 1638

Application No.: 09/156,580

Filed: September 18, 1998

For: METHOD FOR SHORTENING
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing in the above-identified application are:

1. Notice of Appeal;
2. Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3); and
3. Authorization to Charge Deposit Account.


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Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal, for three months, from May 17, 2000 to August 17, 2000. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3), please charge Deposit Account No. 20-1430 in the amount of \$870.00, the amount due for the extension of time.

Please charge any additional fees due in connection with this paper, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 20-1430. This Notice is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,


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